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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Alain LeBrun et al.
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Title : "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IDENTIFYING
NUCLEAR FUELS"

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER RULE 1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed August 2, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The three month period for response expired on November 2, 2004. Accordingly, applicant respectfully requests and petitions that the response date be extended for one month, up to and including December 2, 2004. The \$110.00 extension of time fee is enclosed.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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